# Second Chance Bonus Blackjack IC for Washington State Casinos

- 1. The game will be dealt using an six (6) or eight (8) deck shoe. Each player will receive two (2) cards face up and the dealer will receive 2(two) cards, one card face up and one card facedown. The cards will be dealt from left to right, with the dealer's hand being last. A "no-peek" mirrored device will be used by the dealer to determine if they have an Ace or ten (10) up. With the dealers Ace up, the players will be given the option to take an Insurance bet as protection, on both the hand and the "Bonus". If the hand proceeds with no dealer Blackjack then each playa may hit or stay on their hand (or "Bonus" hand) individually from left to right.
- 2. As each player's position is addressed, the player may hit or stay on their original bet. The Bonus bet represents a separate chance on the original two cards dealt. Once the player has busted or stands on the original bet, they play the "bonus" hand bet in the same manner.
- 3. Each player "Blackjack" will be paid in turn. A player may double-down on any two (2) original cards and will receive one card for matching "up to" their original bet, they may also double-down on their "Bonus" hand. A player can split cards per the house rule of the option being played. After each individual player has played their hand, the dealer will reveal their hand and hit if they have soft 17 or less until they make hard 17 or higher. If the dealer goes over 21 then ail players with bets and hands 21 or les will be paid. If the dealer hand is hard 17 up to 21 they will pay and take based on the value of a players hand.

  \*Refer to options on page 2.
- 4. The original wager may be the posted table minimum up to the table maximum for both the regular bet and/or the "bonus" bet. Players are allowed to bet different amounts on their two bets. The "Bonus" bet can be less or equal to the amount wagered on the regular bet. The table maximum shall not exceed the W.S.G.C. allowable limit
- 5. The player may wager up to the table limit for a dealer "tip" bet, by placing the bet in front of their bet at the front of the betting area. They may do this on both the regular bet and the "Bonus" bet.
- 6. At the end of the shoe, the dealer will then reshuffle the cards according to the house rule.
- 7. All bets will be paid even money, except Blackjack, which will receive three (3) to two (2). Insurance bets can be made up to 1/2 of the original wager and will be paid two (2) to one (1). Players may also insure their "Bonus' bet.
- 8. A player may surrender 1/2 their wager on their original first two (2) cards, including their 'Bonus' bet. The players' may not surrender against a dealer's blackjack.

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## Irregularities:

- When an irregularity occurs in the game, the dealer will notify their supervisor and the supervisor will handle the situation. Most decisions are subjective and will be handled on an individual basis. The following are some basic irregularities that will be house policy.
  - a) Any card that is exposed accidentally will be burned and not used on any hand, unless the next person to hit is the dealer then they must take the card if they have to hit.
  - b) Cards will not be backed up if the dealer gives it to the wrong player. Based on the individual situation, the floor supervisor will call the hand dead or offer the person the next card out after all other players have hit except the dealer.
  - c) A player is dealt too many cards on the original deal, the hand will be called dead.
  - d) A player receives no card, they will sit out the hand.
  - e) A dealer receives no cards, they will take the next two cards out of the shoe.

### OPTIONS:

- 1. No splitting of any cards.
- 2. A player may split cards when ONLY playing the Blackjack bet and NOT playing the "Bonus" bet. Regular Blackjack rules apply when splitting cards.
- 3. A player that plays both the Blackjack bet and the 'Bonus' bet, the player may only split pairs on the Blackjack bet hand; and can only split Aces on the "Bonus" bet hand.

### Notes:

- 1. Shuffeling machines are allowed.
- 2. No side betting allowed.